

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Fei Ge, et al)	Confirmation No.:	9360
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Serial No.:	10/830,211)	Examiner:	Morrison, Jay A.
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For: COST-BASED OPTIMIZER FOR AN XML DATA REPOSITORY WITHIN A
DATABASE

Via EFS-Web
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 20, 2009 (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 20090626), the shortened statutory period for which runs until October 20, 2009. Please revise the subject application as indicated below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.